Mitacs Accelerate Internship Program project funding available

Mitacs Accelerate Internship Program projects can range from a single four-month internship unit to multiple units combined together to accommodate larger projects. Projects are a cost-shared model with Mitacs, through the support of federal and provincial governments. **Deadline: Five business days in advance of the external submission date.**

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High performance thermal insulation materials for electrical cables

NineSigma, representing a leading cable manufacturer, invites proposals for high performance and durable thermal insulation materials. The successful materials will be applied on electrical cables and must assure the proper working of these cables at operating temperatures up to 350°C and allow 90,000 service hours. **Internal deadline: March 6, 2015.**

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Research project support from Gryphons’ LAAIR funding program

The Gryphons’ LAAIR (Leading to Accelerated Adoption of Innovative Research) funding program is supported by funding from the OMAFRFA – U of G Partnership and Growing Forward 2. It aims to accelerate the commercialization and adoption of new products and services originating from innovative research and technology produced at the University of Guelph to improve the competitiveness of the Ontario agri-food and rural economy. **Deadline: March 10, 2015.**

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Corn Dust Research Consortium offers first grants

The Pollinator Partnership has formed a Corn Dust Research Consortium to fund, oversee and advise on four proposed research projects to further their understanding of best management practices for mitigating seed treatment exposure of honeybees during corn planting. The consortium wants focused, targeted projects with a likelihood of providing tangible results that can be applied to best management practices for mitigating seed treatment exposure to honeybees. **Deadline: March 13, 2015.**

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Highway Infrastructure Innovation Funding Program announced

The Highway Infrastructure Innovation Funding Program provides funding to Ontario universities and colleges to encourage applied research in topics related to transportation infrastructure in Ontario. This program solicits research proposals from institutions to assist the Ministry in meeting its current and future challenges, and to encourage undergraduate and graduate research in transportation and infrastructure related engineering. **Internal deadline: March 27, 2015.**

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NSERC helps CREATE unique training program

The NSERC Collaborative Research and Training Experience (CREATE) program helps develop training programs that encourage collaborative and integrative approaches for scientific challenges associated with Canada’s research priorities. It also supports programs that help new researchers transition from trainees to employees. **Internal deadline for letters of intent: March 27, 2015.**

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Proposals sought for Genomic Applications Partnership Program

For Round Five of this program, Genome Canada is seeking proposals that focus on the partnerships of users and academia to promote the application of genomics-derived solutions to address key sector challenges or opportunities. With this program, Genome Canada aims to fund projects that have defined user partners and will have socioeconomic benefit to Canada. **Internal deadline: April 21, 2015.**

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Grants for dog and cat sterilization products or technology

The Found Animals Foundation offers Michelson Grants for research in pursuit of a single-dose, permanent, nonsurgical sterilization product or technology for use in male and female dogs and cats. When developing a potential approach, applicants should consider the program’s goal of bringing to market a low-cost, permanent, nonsurgical sterilant or sterilants that will have a maximum impact in addressing populations of animals driving shelter intake. **Internal Deadline: Two weeks in advance of your submission to Found Animals Foundation.**

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Notices

**2014 Tri-Agency Financial Administration Guide now available**

The three federal granting agencies—the Canadian Institutes of Health Research, the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council and the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council—have posted the 2014 Tri-Agency Financial Administration Guide on their respective websites. The guide is effective January 1, 2015.

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Seminars, workshops, lectures

**Funder requirements and library support for data management**

A faculty information exchange entitled “Managing Your Research Data: Funder Requirements and Library Support” takes place at noon, March 12, 2015, UC 442. The session will be led by Carol Perry, Research Enterprise and
Research ethics discussion and information
Ethics clearance is required before any research is conducted involving human participants. Applications to involve humans in research are reviewed by the Research Ethics Board. The Director of Research Ethics offers monthly information sessions to help guide faculty and students through the process. The next session is March 11, 2015 at 1:30 p.m. in UC 334. See the ethics website for information and posters.

CIHR 2015 Institutional Visit hosted by Wilfrid Laurier University
Slides from this event have been posted.

Reminder

Please respect deadlines. The Office of Research Services strives to help ensure the accuracy, completeness, and compliance with sponsor/University policies for research submissions, providing feedback prior to submission. Researchers are to submit complete, final versions of proposals by the posted internal deadlines. For more information, refer to guidelines on minimum processing times. For proposals prepared using the sponsor's online system (including but not limited to CIHR, NSERC, SSHRC, OMAFRA), submit proposals online and OR-5 forms at the same time, by the posted internal deadline.

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